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Strategic Plan

- Comprehensive, collaborative statewide Five Year Plan
 - Priority Areas:
 - Primary Prevention of FASDs
 - Screening for and Diagnosis of FASD
 - Early Childhood and Education
 - Systems Transformations and Navigation:
 Youth and Adult
 - Community Outreach & Education

Vision

The prevalence of Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (FASDs) is reduced and individuals who experience FASDs and their caregivers are empowered to reach their unique and full potential. Through education, prevention, and provision of quality, relevant supports and services, Alaska is a FASDsinformed state.

Goals

- 1. Raise awareness of FASDs
- 2. Reduce the incidence of alcohol-exposed pregnancies
- 3. Address the stigma
- 4. Reduce the co-occurrence of childhood trauma and FASDs
- 5. Define and promote FASDs-informed care in Alaska
- 6. Advocate for fully fund appropriate services, supports and education

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Next Steps:

- Quarterly meetings (full group)
- Priority Area workgroup meetings (as needed)
- Continue to compiling background information

QUESTIONS?

